

## SIR TODDINGTON WINS

**Odss-on Favorite Lands One-mile Event.**

## SCENE SHIFTS TO CITY PARK

**Exceptionally Poor Card Has Only One Feature, Which Is Won by the Favorite Which Comes Home Eased Up After Taking the Lead at the Start—More Trouble at Hot Springs.**

New Orleans, March 4.—The racing scene shifted back to City Park today. The card of the day was very poor, in condition. There was no feature except a mile event. In this Sir Toddington was a 11-to-20 choice, and going to the front at the start, finished eased up.

E. M. Fry won the three and one-half furlong sprint, and Belle Strome won the six-furlong race in the easiest fashion. In the mile-and-one-half selling event, Grande was the favorite at 5 to 1, but owing to a bad ride, could do no better than third. Belleindan landed a winner.

Fancy Dress won the opening race. Gold Zone was a favorite, but failed to land in the money.

Dr. Keith, backed from 4 down to 2 to 1, outran his field in the steeplechase over the short course. Inattention was an even-money choice, but second was the best she could do.

Merry George, 12 to 1, won the closing event.

## The Summaries.

**FIRST RACE**—Four-year-olds and upward; five furlongs. Fancy Dress, 11 to 1, won; Inattention, 12 to 1, second; Belleindan, 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:31. Gold Zone, 11 to 1, won; Belleindan, 12 to 1, second; Belleindan, 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:31. Gold Zone, 11 to 1, won; Belleindan, 12 to 1, second; Belleindan, 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:31.

**SECOND RACE**—Steeplechase; four-year-olds and upward; short course. Inattention, 11 to 1, won; Belleindan, 12 to 1, second; Belleindan, 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:31. Gold Zone, 11 to 1, won; Belleindan, 12 to 1, second; Belleindan, 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:31.

**THIRD RACE**—Two-year-olds; three and one-half furlongs. E. M. Fry, 11 to 1, won; Belleindan, 12 to 1, second; Belleindan, 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:31. Gold Zone, 11 to 1, won; Belleindan, 12 to 1, second; Belleindan, 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:31.

**FOURTH RACE**—Three-year-olds; one mile. Sir Toddington, 11 to 20, won; Belleindan, 12 to 1, second; Belleindan, 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:31. Gold Zone, 11 to 1, won; Belleindan, 12 to 1, second; Belleindan, 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:31.

**FIFTH RACE**—Selling; five furlongs. Belle Strome, 11 to 1, won; Belleindan, 12 to 1, second; Belleindan, 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:31. Gold Zone, 11 to 1, won; Belleindan, 12 to 1, second; Belleindan, 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:31.

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**RAIDS AT OAK LAWN.**

**Racing Completely Broken Up by Authorities at Hot Springs.**

Hot Springs, March 4.—Racing was demoralized here this afternoon by continued raids on the layers. Ten layers attempted to evade the law by booking on the New York system. The authorities making three converted raids, taking Louis Cella, the "Big Chief," in the last, which occurred just prior to the running of the sixth event.

Rumor has it that in the face of such opposition the meeting will be immediately curtailed. Persistent inquiry, however, fails to verify this.

The fourth day's feature, a five and one-half furlong sprint, furnished an exciting contest. Hyperion, which was making his debut, getting the decision by a whisker from the Bear. Buren Arnold was third. Summaries:

**FIRST RACE**—Four furlongs. Great Prince, 10 to 1, won; Billy Breeze, 10 to 1, second; Billy Breeze, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:31. Gold Zone, 11 to 1, won; Belleindan, 12 to 1, second; Belleindan, 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:31.

**SECOND RACE**—Five and one-half furlongs. Hyperion, 10 to 1, won; Billy Breeze, 10 to 1, second; Billy Breeze, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:31. Gold Zone, 11 to 1, won; Belleindan, 12 to 1, second; Belleindan, 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:31.

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**ORDINARY CARD AT ASCOT.**

**Blumenthal, Heavily Played Long Shot, Wins the Second Race.**

Los Angeles, March 4.—Five selling races and one purse event furnished the most ordinary card at Ascot today. The weather was inclement and the track a sea of mud. Blumenthal, which opened at 60 to 1, and backed down to 12 to 1, under a heavy play, won the second race. The bookies were hit hard, and one of the biggest killings of the season was pulled off. Summaries:

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**SECOND RACE**—Selling; five and one-half furlongs. Blumenthal, 60 to 1, won; Belleindan, 12 to 1, second; Belleindan, 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:31. Gold Zone, 11 to 1, won; Belleindan, 12 to 1, second; Belleindan, 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:31.

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**GOLDEN SENTIMENT WINS.**

**Opening Dash at Oakland Captured by a 40-to-1 Shot.**

San Francisco, March 4.—Racing began this afternoon, but did not affect the track until the last two races. Vincente, Ed Sheridan, and Sahara were the winning favorites.

Golden Sentiment, played down from 10 to 1, captured the opening dash.

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Antillon hopes to be able to reach Houston, Tex., in time to see the White Sox there on their way to the Eagle Pass route.

## GRIM ATTEMPTS SUICIDE.

**President of Baseball Club Slashes Throat with Razor.**

Special to The Washington Herald. Cumberland, Md., March 4.—Word was received here to-day of an attempt last night on the part of Sherman P. Grim, president and manager of the Waynesburg team, in the Pennsylvania, Ohio, and Maryland League, and a prominent attorney, to commit suicide. He is well known in the baseball world.

The attempt was made in his room last night, and it is believed he cannot survive his injuries. He first slashed the artery of his left wrist with a razor, and a moment later gashed his throat in a horrible manner. A fall heavily to the floor, attracting the attention of his wife. Physicians were summoned and the flow of blood stopped, but he has not recovered consciousness.

Mr. Grim is a son of Capt. Samuel Grim, and has been prominent in politics. Financial troubles are said to have prompted the act. Mr. Grim is thirty-eight years of age and has been married several years.

**DEMONT FOR TOLEDO.**

**Local Ballplayer Will Join Club Next Week.**

Gene De Montville will leave here next Saturday or Sunday for Toledo, where he will play during the coming season.

It has been persistently reported that De Montville was slated for Rochester, but he knows nothing of such a deal, and has been ordered to report at Toledo to leave for Evansville, Ind., where the team will train. The player is in good shape, and is confident of making a good showing this year.

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## WASHINGTON SCHOOL ENTRIES.

**Will Have a Number of Athletes in the Georgetown Games.**

## TWO CLUBS IN TOWN

**Yankees and Phillies on Way to Georgia.**

Two major league ball clubs—the New York Yankees and the Philadelphia Nationals—passed through Washington last night on their way to their training grounds in Georgia. The Highlanders will train at Atlanta, while the Phillies' destination is Savannah.

Clarke Griffith was in a happy mood when he stepped from the train for a stay of about an hour, and he freely discussed the condition of affairs in the American League.

"While I am not inclined at this time to make any predictions, I fully believe that my club has a good chance of landing the pennant," said the old fox. "We are well fortified in every position, and while we will miss Jack Chesbro, who has voluntarily retired from the game, I believe that we have several young pitchers who will show that they are of major league caliber before the season is many weeks old. Len Stanley, the Washington left, whom I signed, but who has been turned over to Montreal, I believe, the most promising youngster in the country. He was recommended to me several months before the season ended, and I watched his work until I am convinced that, with a season of minor league experience under his belt, he will be ripe to start in and take his regular turn in the American League. I have no doubt but that Stanley will be a regular member of the Yankees' staff next year."

## MICHIGAN IS NOT WELCOME

**Cornell Objects to Entry of Westerners in Intercollegiate.**

**Ithaca's Believe that Wolverines Will Not Remain in Eastern Association Unless They Win Meet.**

Ithaca, N. Y., March 4.—Cornell undergraduates and alumni are bitter in their resentment against the admission of Michigan into the Intercollegiate Amateur Athletic Association of America, because they think that the Westerners are now acting just as they did several years ago when they came to the Mott Haven Championships.

When the Wolverines came East before they had a track team that had swept all before it in the West, and they were content of a victory in the Eastern meet. They came with a surprise, however, and failed to get the honors they were seeking. Immediately they dropped from the association and were content to stay home until this year, when their chances are particularly bright. Although they now promise to live up to the rules and send their annual quota of entries, Cornell doubts the sincerity of this promise.

The Ithacans, who won the championship last year by a very scant margin, would stand practically no chance with Michigan in the meet this year. It was owing to Cornell's almost clean sweep of the points in the distance runs last spring that they obtained victory, and it is in these events that the Ithacan institution would again be strong. Michigan, however, would take many of Cornell's points away in the long runs, for the Westerners master their greatest power in these specialties.

Barrett Smith, a Cornell graduate, who was a member of Cornell's record holding four-mile relay team, and who has been closely identified with athletic interests at Cornell, was at a recent conference of the athletes' association held at Ithaca, and the stand taken by Cornell regarding the admission of Michigan to the I. A. A. A., as follows:

"Cornell has probably been more closely associated with Michigan in track athletics than any other of the Eastern universities. For three years dual meets were held between the two institutions at Ann Arbor. Through these dual meets, Cornell was forced to the conclusion that Michigan's willingness to use clean methods was always proportionate to its chances of winning.

"The meet was always held by agreement under Eastern intercollegiate rules, and Michigan did not hesitate, in the last meet, when Cornell's winning chances were very bright, to insist upon departure from the rules, and to insist upon the Cornell contingent had arrived in Ann Arbor.

"The most flagrant case was that of Schuler, an old Wisconsin hurdler. He had competed four years for Wisconsin before going to Michigan, but Michigan insisted upon using him against Cornell, and he was afterwards, during the same meet, declared ineligible to compete in the conference meet.

"There is no doubt of the fact that Michigan's entry in the Eastern intercollegiate this spring practically cancels Cornell's already slim chances of winning, but that is not the point. Cornell stands first for athletic purity, and believes that the standard of college athletic ethics in the East should be maintained, constantly of late years, cannot possibly be benefited by the intrusion of an element which does not represent the highest ethics. Michigan's course in the Conference Association, frequently been a bone of contention."

**OFFICIALS FOR GAMES.**

**List Completed for Georgetown Meet Saturday Evening.**

Manager Edward J. Crumney, of the Georgetown field and track team, yesterday completed the list of officials for Saturday's meet at Convention Hall, as follows:

Referee—Dr. J. A. Kelly, Georgetown. Clerk of Course—Ben R. Oshues, Boston Athletic Association. Announcer—James O'Shea, Georgetown. Marshal—Thomas Neil, Georgetown. Starter—Ed. J. Crumney, Georgetown. Timekeeper—John Stairs, Georgetown. Umpire—Charles MacFar